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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Yang Wang

Art Unit : 2881

Serial No. : 10/764,252

Examiner : David Vanore

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Title : ION TRAP MASS SPECTROMETRY

Commissioner for Patents

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REPLY A TO ACTION OF DECEMBER 29, 2004

Dear Commissioner:

Responsive to the office action dated December 29, 2004, application owner respectfully traverses the requirement for restriction and provisionally elects species I (A non-linear three dimensional ion trap) which includes claims 1, 3, 4, 5, 7, 29, 30, 33, 34, 37, 38, 41, 42, 43, 44, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 59, 60, 61, and 64 for further prosecution in this application. Complete list of claims readable on elected species I is listed as follows: